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Docket No. R2000-1

MOTION OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE FOR LATE ACCEPTANCE OF RESPONSE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE TO INTERROGATORIES OF THE OFFICE OF THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE (OCA/USPS-122-128)

(April 27, 2000)

The United States Postal Service hereby moves for late acceptance of Response of United States Postal Service to Interrogatories of the Office of the Consumer Advocate (OCA/USPS-122-128).

The responses should have been filed on April 24, 2000. They are thus three days late. The delay was caused by the need to consult with various functional groups to develop responses. The Postal Service regrets any inconvenience, but does not believe anyone has been prejudiced by the brief delay.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.

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